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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

MARY S.,¹

Plaintiff,

v.

KILOLO KIJAKAZI, ACTING
COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL
SECURITY,

Defendant.

NO: 2:21-CV-0134-LRS-1

ORDER GRANTING STIPULATED
MOTION FOR REMAND

BEFORE THE COURT is the Defendant's Stipulated Motion for Remand, ECF No. 14. Based on the stipulation of the parties, the Court finds good cause to grant the motion. Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

1. Defendant's Stipulated Motion for Remand, **ECF No. 14** is **GRANTED**.
2. This case is **REVERSED** and **REMANDED** for further administrative proceedings pursuant to sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g).
3. On remand, the ALJ will take any action necessary to further develop

¹ The court identifies a plaintiff in a social security case only by the first name and last initial in order to protect privacy. *See* LCivR 5.2(c).


1 the record and hold a de novo hearing; re-consider the severity of
2 Plaintiff's alleged impairments, including diabetic neuropathy; re-
3 consider the prior administrative medical findings and opinion evidence;
4 obtain vocational expert (VE) testimony if warranted; reconsider the
5 sequential evaluation process, as necessary; and issue a new decision.

6 4. Upon proper presentation, this Court will consider Plaintiff's application
7 for costs, expenses, and reasonable attorney's fees under the Equal
8 Access to Justice Act, 28 U.S.C. § 2412(a), (d).

9 5. Plaintiff's Motion for Summary Judgment, **ECF No. 13**, and the hearing
10 and remaining briefing schedule are **VACATED** as moot.

11 **IT IS SO ORDERED.** The District Court Clerk is directed to enter this
12 Order and provide copies to counsel. Judgment shall be entered for Plaintiff and
13 the file shall be **CLOSED**.

14 **DATED** December 8, 2021.

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LONNY R. SUKO
17 Senior United States District Judge
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